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PRICE TWO CENTS

## EDDY ALEXANDER WILL PLAY AT MED'S BALL, FEB. 22

### CUP Cwips

from the CUP files

#### YET ANOTHER WAY OUT

The Varsity announces that the home of Professor D. Generate was ransacked by thieves who, it is stated, stole everything but the kitchen sink. A note left by the D. Generate robbers complained of the deplorable condition of that aforementioned sink, and queried if the professor had ever heard of Drano. After mulling over this bit of information for a while, we concluded that it was merely a scheme on the part of certain students who were afraid of letting their exams pass under their slashing marking pencil.

#### SO WHAT

A poll recently taken by The Queen's Journal came to the astounding conclusion that "Tis better to have loved and lost, than never to have loved at all". 88 per cent. agreed with Tennyson, while 3 per cent. were undecided. I think it is about time a poll was taken to decide whether life is worth living or not. Comes to the same thing.

#### Morpheus Has Competition

Dormer Ellis, a co-ed at Toronto, has evolved a plan by which she can have an extra month every year by sleeping in two hour stretches. Claiming that by sleeping in these 120 minute periods, she can do with six hours sleep a night instead of eight. All of which is very well, but who in blazes gets eight hours sleep a night anyway. Ed. note. What does she do with the extra two hours a night?

#### It's Catching

The University of New Brunswick is inaugurating a new series of lectures on "A Modern Approach to Marriage"; the subject will be dealt with from three sides, psychological, medical, and moral. Perhaps soon other universities will realize that the modern generation has no intention of carrying on with the Victorian conception of matrimony.

#### THAT WOMAN AGAIN

Sadie Hawkins has reared her ugly head again on camp all over the country. At Western diverse dances were held all in the "proper" spirit of the festive season. The University of Alberta also has its doings in regard to the forward female, which included a set of rules on how to have fun at a party. These included: "Turn out all the lights," and "find out the condition of her liquor permit," and finally "demonstrate your juggling act with a Ming vase, an ashtray, and a casual blonde." Mount Allison and Queen's also held Sadie Hawkins celebrations.

### CUP WIRES

Acadia: The students at Acadia University set a high standard this year in their mid-year examinations. Only eight students flunked their exams! This is less than one percent of the total enrolment, it is also a record low for Acadia.

Montreal: Le Quartier Latin tells us that they have just read the University of Toronto Varsity and they find out that the student of the University of Montreal are in the throes of a light epidemic of grippie. It says, or so they say it, that the students are the least affected by the malady, and that the professors are hardest hit by it. "Doubtless all the students wish their a quick recovery," Le Quartier thanks the Varsity for this news, they are so close to it that they did not see it.

Montreal: Toronto University says that with an enrolment of 12,000 students, they are the largest university in the British Empire; L'Universite de Montreal thinks that with an enrolment of 12,831 students last year and with their this year's figure of 21,118, that Toronto must have been mistaken or just did not know.

Winnipeg: See tomorrow's Daily for coverage of Musk-Ox Operations in Churchill, Manitoba.

## Bovey Competition To Mark Beginning Of Dawson Debates

### St. John's College Will Compete in Intramural Loop

Debating swings into action at Dawson College on Tuesday, February 12, with the elimination contest for the Bovey Shield.

Tuesday will see the first debate taking place on the St. John's Campus. Directed by Jim Fullerton, a full debating program is being planned. Jim Fullerton is a veteran who recently took refresher courses at McGill. Now a student at Dawson, he will take charge of the debating program there.

#### TO ENTER-LEAGUE

This program will be fashioned on fairly broad lines. It will not consist merely of local debates, but Dawsonites will participate in all of the McGill inter-faculty verbal tilts. Two in this series of debates have already taken place. The first was between Arts and Commerce on January 24, while on the 31st of the same month, R.V.C. and Commerce were the second contestants.

Dawson will be represented at the debates, not as the faculty of Science or Engineering, but will have the status of a separate faculty.

#### BOVEY SHIELD CONTEST

The Bovey Shield contest, held every year, endeavours to discover the best extempore Freshman debater. The competition is more or less an impromptu affair. The debaters only discover the topic for discussion the morning of the contest, and thus have little time to prepare their speeches, which are from five to ten minutes in length. The competition has already taken place at McGill. This year's winner is Jim Paterson. The victor of the Bovey Shield contest at Dawson College will oppose Jim Paterson later in the season.

Lists will be posted at Dawson giving information about future debates.

## Film of Mexico To Be Displayed

### Battle of Superstition And Science Shown In Striking Scenes

By B.P.S.

John Steinbeck's "The Forgotten Village" will be shown this week by the McGill Film Society. Staff, students, and others will have a chance to see this documentary film about the battle of science and superstition in a Mexican mountain village on Friday, February 8, at 5 p.m. in Room 250 of the Biological Building.

Life among the Mexican peasants is portrayed in scenes of field and market, and then death strikes in the form of a water-borne epidemic. The village does not know this, and seeks to fight it with prayers and by carrying the sacred images in procession through the streets of the stricken town.

In one family, as the fever carries off one son in spite of the wise woman's most potent charms, and the little daughter sickens, another child is born.

Meanwhile, the villagers have all been turned against the doctors who are examining the well water, and the boy who steals his sister out for a saving injection is, like the prophet, without honor in his own country and has to flee from home.

This movie was not released without a struggle on the part of those who favored its showing. In New York, shots of a nursing mother and of the face of a woman in childbirth were considered in- (Continued on Page Four.)

### Sir George Williams Holds Annual Carnival

Sir George Williams College will hold their annual carnival on February 8-10 at Morin Heights. The participating students will have a varied and interesting program that begins on Friday night with a show.

The following day will be taken up with ski races as a preliminary to the main event which is scheduled for that evening. Then, students will ride in sleighs to the spot where the five contestants already chosen will compete for the honour of being crowned Queen.

Afterwards, a torchlight procession will make its way back to the hall for a dance, during which the Queen will distribute the prizes. On Sunday morning there will be a special church service for everybody.

## Fox Represents McGill at CUEC

Charles Fox, president of the Engineering Undergraduate Society, will represent McGill at the conference of Canadian university Engineering Societies, to be held today in the Mount Royal Hotel. Phillip Laporta, 1st vice-president, will assist the delegate in the capacity of observer.

This conference, composed of eleven E.U.S. presidents from major Canadian universities, is sponsored by the Engineering Institute of Canada in conjunction with their sixtieth annual meeting. The conference, an innovation, is the manifestation of the engineering profession's heartfelt interest in the



CHARLES FOX

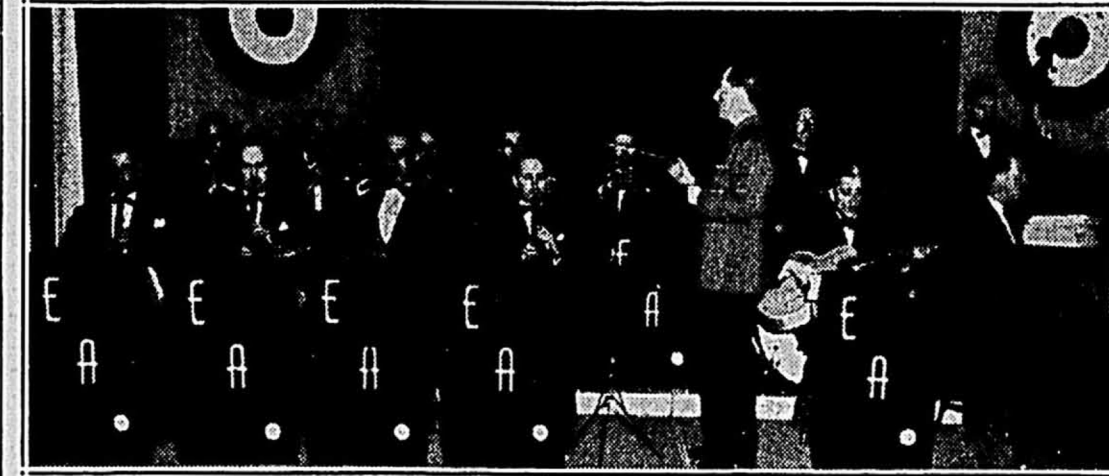
academic and business success of the engineering student. Their attitude is clearly expressed in the agenda, which outlines such key points as: How can the Engineering Institution help the engineering undergraduate—the young graduate?

In an interview, Charles Fox stated that he felt highly elated with the step taken by the E.I.C. in arranging this conference, and he expressed the hope that this would be the father of regular, yearly meetings at which student problems of the day can be clearly discussed. Specifically, McGill's representative will stress the formation of an employment bureau, with branches at all E.I.C. locals. This service for the express purpose of assimilating employment data on student and young graduate engineers, which is to be made available to the various Engineering Faculties throughout Canada. The bureau also to launch a strong publicity campaign among all types (Continued on Page Four.)

#### STAFF MEETING

There will be a meeting of all the members of the Daily masthead, and of all reporters without exception in the Daily office today at 5 p.m. It is imperative that all those connected with the Daily attend this meeting.

### To Be Featured Orchestra at Med's Ball



EDDY ALEXANDER and his orchestra who will play at the Med's Ball to be held in the Sir Arthur Currie Memorial Gymnasium on Friday, February 22.

## Proposed Changes in Constitution Of McGill Students' Society

### Amendments

(Below are the amendments put forward by the Students' Executive Council.)

#### AMENDMENTS TO CONSTITUTION

##### ARTICLE VI

Shall be amended to read  
(1) The Students' Executive Council shall be composed of the following members:

(a) The President of the Students' Society who shall be Chairman.

(b) The President of the McGill Union.

(c) The President of the Women's Union of McGill University.

(d) The Editor-in-Chief of the McGill Daily.

(e) One representative from each of the undergraduate Faculties, one representative from the School of Commerce. One representative from the Theological Colleges affiliated with McGill University, and one representative from the Royal Victoria College.

These representatives shall be elected by the students of such faculty from the Junior Class thereof between November 20th and December 10th of each year. In faculties of over fifty members nominations shall be signed by 25 students of such Faculty and in those of less than 50 members nominations shall be signed by 10 members of such faculty. Nominations must be in the hands of the Secretary of the Students' Society at least ten days before the date of the election and published by him in the McGill Daily at least one week before the day of election.

Voting shall be by ballot on date of election. Schools other than that of Commerce shall for the purposes of this Constitution be considered to be in those Faculties in which they are placed by Senate.

Women will vote in their respective Faculties including Arts and Science and the Royal Victoria College representative shall be elected by all the women of the Royal Victoria College.

Shall be amended to read

(2) Those members Section 1—Sub-section a, b, c, d, shall serve

for the fiscal year following their election, in Section 1, sub-section e, they shall serve for the calendar year following their election.

Shall be amended to read

The Students' Executive Council shall be the only recognized medium (outside the Students' Athletics Council) between the students and the University authorities and the general public.

Shall be amended to read

It shall be the duty of the Students' Executive Council to summon, hear and discipline any member of the Students' Society for a misdemeanor. Any person so summoned shall be confronted by those bearing witness against him. All decisions in such cases shall be referred to the Senate.

Section 7 shall become Section 6 and shall read

The Students' Executive Council shall be responsible for the management and control of the McGill Section 8 shall become Section 7. Section 9 shall become Section 8.

Shall be amended to read

(8) The Council shall receive from the University all sums payable under Article IV, Section 1, (a) and Section 1, (b) except the amount payable to the Women's Union of McGill University, and shall divide the same as provided in the said articles. Such bodies so receiving monies from the Council shall have their books and accounts open to inspection and audit by the Council or auditors or inspectors appointed by it, on one week's notice.

No. 10 shall now be No. 9.  
No. 11 shall now be No. 10.  
No. 12 shall now be No. 11.  
No. 13 shall now be No. 12.

Shall be amended to read

(12) Meetings shall be on such days and at such hours as Council shall deem fit. The Secretary shall give the members individual notice at least forty-eight hours before each meeting. Two-thirds of

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### Sub-amendments

(The following sub-amendments are reprinted exactly as they appeared in The Daily formerly.)

NOTICE — for amendment to S.E.C. Constitution. This to be presented for the E.U.S. executive by Charles J. Fox, President E.U.S., and seconded by Phillip Laporta, first Vice-President.

Be it resolved that Article IV, Sub-section 7, be deleted and the following substituted therefore:

7. The management and control of the Daily shall be in the hands of a Managerial Board, this Board to be responsible to the Students' Executive Council. The Board is to be composed of the following members:

(a) Editor-in-Chief of the Daily, and two other members to be appointed by the S.E.C. on the recommendation of the retiring managerial Board.

(b) Three elected members, to be elected annually by the Faculties enumerated below, at the same time as elections of the Students' Societies. There shall be—

1. One member elected from the Faculty of Engineering and the School of Architecture.

2. One member from the Faculties of Arts & Science, Law and the School of Commerce.

3. One member from the Faculties of Medicine and Dentistry.

These elected representatives shall be students in good standing, and in their junior year at the University at the time of the election.

January 21, 1946.

Sub AMENDMENT A  
Notice of Sub-amendment to be proposed at the meeting of the Students' Society to be held in the McGill Union on Thursday, February 7th, 1946.

Moved by Miss Cayford, seconded by Miss Brown:

Article IV

FEES

1 B Which now reads: Each female member of the Students' Society shall be required to pay an annual fee of \$15.00; this sum to be collected by the Bursar with the regular tuition fees and divided as follows:

Athletics Board ..... \$4.50  
M.W.S.A.A. .... 2.50  
McGill Daily ..... 1.50  
Students' Executive Council ..... 4.00  
Women's Union ..... 2.50

Article VI, Section 1 (e)

Shall be amended to read

(1) Each female member of the Students' Society shall be required to pay an annual fee of \$10.00, this sum to be collected by the Bursar with the regular tuition fees and divided as follows:

McGill Daily ..... \$1.50  
Students' Executive Council ..... 4.00  
Women's Union ..... 3.50  
Undergraduate Society Fee ..... 1.00

Notice of Sub-amendments to be proposed at the meeting of the Students' Society to be held in the McGill Union on Thursday, February 7th, 1946.

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## Gym Is Scene of Dance; Tickets at \$5. Limited To Medicine, Dentistry

### Few Will Be Sold to Students In Senior Year Pre-Med Course

Eddy Alexander and his orchestra will provide the music at the Med's Ball, to be held on Friday, Feb. 22, in the Sir Arthur Currie Memorial Gymnasium.

#### EXCLUSIVELY FOR MEDS

The Med's ball, it has been announced, will be "for the Profession only." Tickets will be sold only to students in Medicine and Dentistry. There will be a few available for Senior Pre-Medical students. This last is a change from former years, but it was felt by Dr. McIntosh, who suggested it that it would provide an opportunity for these senior students to be introduced into Medical doings. Arrangements may be made for a Pre-Med table at the dance.

#### MUSIC BY ALEXANDER

Eddy Alexander and his band, a local organization, are already known by McGill Students as he has provided music for many campus events during the last few years, as well as playing, by request, at Air Force Stations in and about Montreal. He played at the Saint Andrew's ball this year, and, before the war suspended many of the gala social events of the year, he played at a number of these functions.

#### TICKETS AT \$5.

Tickets for the Ball will be priced at \$5.00 per couple, and the arrangements for their sale will be announced later.

Feb. 22 was chosen as the date for the dance since at that time there would be a cause for celebration among Med Students. Second year will have finished their Pre-Clinical exams, and First year their Anatomy spot and Histology exams. Third year, not having exams just now feel that that is cause enough for rejoicing.

During the last few years the Medical faculty has joined with the Engineers to sponsor the Joint Meds-Plumbers Ball, but since this is no longer necessary, the former plan of having an exclusive formal dance for each faculty has been reinstated.

#### LAST BALL

The last Med's Ball was held in 1940. At that time the dance was not held in the Currie Gymnasium but in the Mount Royal Hotel, at the Normandy Roof. In 1941 the date of the Plumbers Ball had to be postponed, so that it coincided with that of the Med's. The two faculties agreed to pool their resources and hold the two formal dances together. This system was continued throughout the war years, the dances being held in the gym.

#### McGILL - BROOKLYN

DEBATE ELIMINATIONS  
In yesterday's Daily it was announced that the Eliminations for the Brooklyn Debate would take place in the Music Room of the Conservatorium. This was an error. The eliminations will take place in the Music Room of the Union.

#### WORLD EVENTS

Ottawa: The next session of Parliament will open on Thursday, March 14, it was announced last night by Prime Minister, Mackenzie King following a meeting of the cabinet.

Chungking: President Chiang Kai-shek hinted yesterday that his retirement from active public life might be impending this year after 18 perilous years of civil strife and war at China's helm.

London: Stamford-Greenwich-Westchester area of Connecticut and New York was approved today by the 13-member interim committee of the United Nations for the permanent home of the world peace agency despite the protests of Australia and some local residents.

## Students to Hear Canadian Delegate

### Mrs. Jessie Storrie Treats Conferences In London, Prague

Jessie Storrie, recently returned from the World Youth Conference in London and the Prague World Student Conference, will report on these two meetings, and her trips to Universities in Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Belgium and Yugoslavia at an open meeting sponsored by the local committee of the National Federation of Canadian University Students, to be held today at 5 p.m. in the Union Grill Room. A collection of underground newspapers, and photographs of university life in Europe will be displayed at this meeting.

Mrs. Storrie graduated from the University of Toronto in 1938 and proceeded to study at the school of economics in London, England. While at the U. of T. she was the associate president of the S.C.M. and later a member of the National S.C.M. Council. This is the fifth international youth conference that Mrs. Storrie has attended.

At London, delegates from youth organizations of sixty-three nations and thirty million youths set up a world federation of democratic youth. The aims of this federation which affect so many students will be one of the topics of Mrs. Storrie's discussion.

## Housing Question Discussed by Vets

### Len Starkey to Head Local Organizations Meeting This Sunday

The first meeting of the Committee of Montreal and District Student Veterans' Societies was held last night in the Currie gymnasium. Attending the meeting were representatives of the Students' Veterans societies of McGill, Sir George Williams, the University of Montreal, Loyola, and Macdonald. Also taking part in the discussion were members of the vocational training establishments of the Commercial College of Rehabilitation, the Art Association, the Building Trade Apprenticeship, Mongeau and St. Helaire, Ecole de Meuble, and the Montreal Technical School.

The first topic discussed was the housing question, and it was decided that the Committee would act as convener of a meeting of representatives from the Canadian Legion, the Montreal Labour Council, the Citizens Rehabilitation Committee, the Trades and Labour Congress, the French and English sections of the Junior Board of Trade, and all other organizations interested in this question.

Len Starkey was appointed chairman of the meeting which will be held at the Canadian Legion Hall (Continued on Page Four)



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## Time and Tide

### Lesson in Grammar

From old files, comes this interesting piece... a new aspect of the English grammar, of which we are sure many students and lecturers are not aware.

From the Boston "Globe", we quote:

"Those who dislike formal grammar will have another grouse against it when they read Gilchrist Lawson's definition of a kiss in 'That Reminds Me'."

"A kiss," says the definition, "is a noun, but it is generally used as a conjunction. It is never declined, and is more common than proper. It is not very singular, in that it is usually used in the plural. It agrees with me."

—T.R.M.

### Pre-vision:

#### Here Am I

(From the Manitoban.)

See! See what I have found  
Here in the attic, hidden from sight these many years:

Pictures, thousands, dust-covered  
As the years which lie behind.  
Father! Father, see this treasure which antiquity  
Has bequeathed to us who are Posterity.  
(Queer, I do not feel so old.)

And the near-old man, waiting for rain  
In the dry year, looks upon all which begot him.  
Cousins, brothers,  
Sisters, mothers,  
Friends look out at him, sober or smiling.  
Living eyes piercing the dust.

Dead is he, alas,  
And he, and he and he;  
And this one now so old:  
This I do not... why, here am I  
Smiling determinedly at me, beside my long-dead wife.

—How great our love, long unrecalled—  
This man I helped once; he too is gone.  
Here was my friend, lost, lost...  
(What is this grayness?)  
And so many others—dead—  
Dead; dead; dead—  
What meaning then...?  
(Whereof this darkness?)

Far at sea a drowning man  
Shrieks in his throat for help.  
And his cry rings tinny in labyrinthine time.  
From the engulfing wave  
Over wave over wave  
A mammoth arm moves in majesty  
To lull him in smooth mother arms  
Home to the womb.

—S.X.W.

## Canadian Poetry Contest

Judges for the Canadian Poetry Contest being held by the Poetry Craft Group of the Ottawa Branch, Canadian Authors Association, have now been announced.

They will be: Miss Anne Marriott, whose collection of poetry SANDSTONE and Other Poems was published last year by Ryerson Press, and Wilfrid Eggleston, parliamentary journalist, author and radio commentator.

The following awards are offered for this contest: The Elbert Watson Dowd Memorial Prize, \$25.00; The A. H. Jarvis Award, \$25.00.

Two prizes of \$15. each; Four prizes of \$10. each. In addition, all poems accepted for publication in the Contest Chap-Book will be paid for at a uniform rate. Total awards will reach approximately \$200.

The object of this contest is to encourage writers of Canadian poetry and to provide one more outlet for their work. It is being sponsored and carried out by the Poetry Craft Group of the Ottawa Branch, C.A.A. Poetry which seeks to interpret and reflect the Canada of today is especially solicited, but there will be no narrow restriction on theme, treatment or form.

Poems submitted should not exceed 48 lines. Only original work, hitherto unpublished is eligible.

A fee of 25 cents must accompany each entry. Contestants may enter several poems if they wish.

All contestants submitting two or more entries will receive a copy of the Chap-Book containing the poems accepted for publication.

Poems submitted should be signed by a pen name, with the contestant's real name and address enclosed in a sealed envelope.

Closing date of the contest is March 1st, 1946. The prize winners and the publication date for the Chap-Book will be announced as soon afterwards as possible.

All communications should be sent to Mrs. Lillian I. Found, 270 Harmer Avenue, Ottawa. Mrs. Found is convener of the Ottawa Branch, C.A.A. Poetry Craft Group, members of which are automatically barred from entering the contest.

The Craft Group desires to express its particular thanks to the following for their help in launching this project:

P. D. Ross, H. S. Southam, W. M. Southam, A. H. Jarvis, Edna Jacques, Mr. and Mrs. Norman S. Dowd all of Ottawa.

nize that each well-planned extension or redistribution of authority—such as the present government's proposals on reconstruction—do not represent a step towards totalitarianism and bureaucracy, but rather a movement towards the fulfillment of the obligation and the function of promoting a richer and fuller life within our democratic society which has, as do all other systems, imperfections that must be accounted for.

## Canada's New Voice

(from a broadcast by GERALD NOXON)

Not many hours ago I was standing in a large flat field a couple of miles from the town of Sackville in New Brunswick. The snow was deep on the ground, its glazed surface shining like white silk in the strong sunlight. A little way to the east I could see a brown smear against the white which marked the looping course of the Tantramar River. And beyond, scattered over the bare winter marshland, there were numbers of those square hay barns that are peculiar to this fascinating region of Canada.

Tantramar—a strange and beautiful word—remarkable even amongst the wealth of magnificent place names to be found throughout the Maritimes. I wondered about that word and later found that it came from an old Indian expression coined to describe the noise made by the innumerable wild birds that haunted these tidal marshes in the old days.

And as I stood there and wondered about the barns and the river and the historic past, I turned and looked up, my eyes following the strong slender line of an immense tower, soaring like a rapier into the blue sky. Around me there were other steel towers, some higher, others resembling ordinary telegraph poles. Between some of the large towers there hung what I must describe as curtains of dark metallic lace—huge yet delicate and precise patterns, composed of countless wires and insulators.

It was standing in the midst of the antenna system of Canada's new short-wave radio transmitter. I had never seen anything like it before—and no wonder, because there just isn't anything else quite like it in the whole wide world. It is the last word in radio transmitters designed for international broadcasting. The towers and antenna arrays, rising at some points to a height of three hundred and eighty feet, are on such a huge scale that they seem to be the work of some giant race. They reminded me most forcibly of the great rock circle of Stonehenge on Salisbury Plain in England. These ultra-modern structures had the same air of mystery and veiled purpose. They had the same inscrutable intention as those weird stones set up—no one knows how—by the Druids of ancient times. And I found out later that there was some factual basis for my fantasy. The masts and antennae of a modern short-wave station are located and placed on the earth's surface with the same delicate precision as the huge rocks that form the circle at Stonehenge.

And even as I was marveling at this strange new thing, my thoughts wandered from the peaceful country scene around the transmitter. I thought of the turmoil and chaos of war, the immense tapestry of destruction which form the background to radio reception in Europe today. At the moment it seemed simply incredible that speech and music originating in far-away Montreal was being thrown off those intricate wire patterns and flung far across the ocean to be received by Canadians, many of them only recently within the sound of battle.

Why was this great transmitter been constructed? Why did these huge towers and wire curtains suddenly appear on the marshes near Sackville? There are many reasons, but here are the principal ones, the ones that matter most at this moment.

First, Canada wanted to be able to speak quickly and directly to Canadian men and women who were fighting overseas. We wanted to give them all the modern radio that science enables us to give. We had to send them all the news and information and entertainment which they wanted from home. Second, we want to place a Canadian point of view before the different friendly peoples of Europe, to let them know about developments here which may be of interest to them. Third, we wanted to tell the people in Germany the facts of the war situation, to make them realize that they have lost this war and that the best thing they could do was to stop fighting.

Beyond these three immediate objectives, there were other and broader reasons why Canada had to have this great new voice—a voice that will reach almost every country in the world with outstanding power. The rapid development of international radio under the stress of war has opened up a new field of possibilities in the realm of international relations. We must have a stab in that field because Canada has now achieved a new importance in the world. We have our own responsibilities to bear in international affairs and our own purposes to further in the organization of world peace and world prosperity.

And so, a little over two years ago, the Canadian government decided to create an International

radio service, composed of a new short-wave transmitter and a complete program and administrative set-up. Engineers of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation were entrusted with the physical design of the project all the way through, right from latches on the studio doors to the last insulator of the antenna arrays—a mighty big job made harder by the difficulties of wartime. They started by studying a vast amount of data on short-wave radio which had been accumulated in Britain and the United States. They got every ounce of information they could find and then from there on, they began to create, to plan a transmitter capable of meeting Canada's particular requirements and constructed to suit our geography and climate.

## POLITICAL COMMENT

### "BROTHER CAN YOU SPARE A HOUSE"

We are told by our politicians time and time again that the mainstay of our democracy is the family and the home. Then our democracy must be degenerating because many of us have no decent homes and many of our families are being broken up as a result of this. Let us get away from the vague generalities of our leading politicians, their callous complacency, and view the situation as it really exists. The undeniable fact is that Canada is facing a desperate housing shortage. The drop in the budget program of our government is only aggravating the situation, especially in the eyes of many of our

returned veterans who have found that even in the free world for which they fought it is pretty uncomfortable to sleep on park benches or live in cellars or garrets.

Canadians can be divided into low income, middle income, and high income groups. Private builders can put houses only within the reach of the last group and part of the middle group. That is why home-building has remained so small in Canada. The lowest income third and most of the middle income group cannot dream of buying a good new dwelling. Taking 20% of their income for rent, they can afford to pay from \$15.00 to \$23.50 per month. It is here that the problem centers. The answer is

## LETTER FORUM

To the Editor, McGill Daily:

Dear Sir—I would like to add a few words to the discussion of the proposed amendments and sub-amendments to the Student Executive Council Constitution. The most controversial amendments are those dealing with the calling of meetings of the Student Society. To my knowledge, three amendments or sub-amendments have been proposed on this question, none of which seems to me to be completely satisfactory.

The sub-amendment proposed by a certain political group requires only 50 signatures to a petition for a meeting, while 200 are considered sufficient to constitute a quorum. It is surely evident that this sub-amendment would scarcely alter the existing unsatisfactory provisions—of 25 signatures and 100 for a quorum. A small minority would still be able to call a meeting, whip up a quorum, and pass resolutions in the name of the Student Body.

a low-rental housing program aimed at alleviating the desperate housing plight of the low income groups. Such housing programs have been carried out by the governments of all the major democratic countries of the world.

Beside the need for more houses, a great percentage of the houses in our cities are slums, congested areas, condemned areas—happy hunting grounds for rodents, vermin and filth—breeders of sickness and crime. These areas are a constant drain on our taxpayers in the form of excess fire protection, police protection, etc. They are characterized by high infant mortality rate, high incidence of disease juvenile delinquency and crime. They must be torn down and good homes built in their place.

The battle of housing must be fought with the same realism and action as we fought and won the war. To win the battle of housing is to win the peace. It has been proposed that the government raise one billion dollars for the purpose of erecting 250,000 low-rental houses in the course of five years. This would kill two birds with one brick. It would solve our housing problem and help alleviate our critical unemployment problems.

Let us not be misled by the profit-maddened denials of a certain class of people that such a program is unfeasible. Nothing is unfeasible in our country, so rich in science, raw materials and labour. We have performed miracles of production in the war, let us move on to greater efforts to improve the living conditions of our people in the peace. People are products of their environment—and a good clean environment will produce good, clean Canadians.

We students can do our bit by supporting the billion dollar low-rental housing program. A most concrete way of doing this is to sign the petitions on housing now being circulated throughout Canada.

S. MELAMED,  
Eng. 4.



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Another sub-amendment proposes 250 signatures, with 250 required to constitute a quorum. This is some improvement but still does not go far enough. It would still not be difficult for any small minority to obtain 250 signatures through high pressure methods.

Finally, we have the Student Council amendment which requires no less than 1,500 signatures on a petition for a meeting, and 500 to constitute a quorum. Here we move from one extreme to another extreme. The requirement of 1,500 signatures practically rules out the possibility of future special meetings of the Student Body on any subject whatsoever. Also, what reasonable chance is there of packing 500 students into the Union Ball Room during lecture hour periods?

Consequently, I wish to urge that some compromise be found between the extremes proposed. Personally, I feel that about 800 or 1,000 signatures should be required with perhaps 300 to make up a quorum. This suggestion offers a reasonable solution to a difficult problem. It would make possible the holding of meetings when so desired by a large number of students, and it would prevent any meeting from being dominated by minority groups. I hope that the Students Executive Council may find it possible to amend the motion of their own initiative along these lines.

At any rate, let us have a large turnout to the meeting on Thursday.

Yours sincerely,

W. A. MENNIE,  
Arts 3.

(Ed. Note:—Once and for all may we point out that this is NOT the constitution of the Students' Executive Council but the entire Students' Society.)

### POLITICS

Editor, McGill Daily.

Dear Sir,—I was sitting in the Redpath Library yesterday trying to study for an exam when I saw a piece of paper was thrust under my nose. I looked up into the sturdy face of a Comrade, who immediately deluged me with Marxism, Labour, Progressivism and House Shortism, in fact many reasons why I should sign his piece

of paper. The zeal of the worthy man was most admirable but I cannot see the reason why politics in the form as they are now on the campus should be allowed to interfere with academic life of the student. I found it very hard and I am sure that other people at my table did also to try and work when in the background we heard the lulling strains of the International.

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# Senior City Collegians Meet in Basketball Contest Tonight

## Red Cagers To Oppose Georgians in Last Half Of MBL Double-header

### Final League Game for Locals As Collegiate Schedule Continues

McGill's Senior cagers will be rolling up the rug on their regular Montreal Basketball League schedule tonight when they tangle with the Georgians in the Currie gym at 8 p.m.

This will be the Redmen's eighth and last game before the play-offs begin in their shortened schedule because of the Intercollegiate competition which started somewhat disastrously for the Red and White squad. The second tilt will show Southwestern 'Y' and the Shipmates, the two teams who played one of the best games of the season two weeks ago.

Coach Lou Davies' crew is presently leading the M.B.L. and a win tonight will greatly consolidate the Reds' hold on first place and give them a better chance of breaking into a first place tie with the Y.M.H.A. aggregation.

**REGULAR SQUAD**  
Against the Georgians, Coach Davies will start his star forward line of Dave Greenburg, George Davidson and Sam Roth. Pete Finlay and Ken Hoyle will be in their regular slots at guard. Completing the team will be Mart Goodwin, Manny Schacter, Ron Bower and Bob Millar.

After last Saturday's loss the Redmen are expected to turn in an all out effort against the Georgians who have so far won three and lost four. In the pre-season tune-ups the Drummond street boys had been picked as the team to beat, but so far they have been a disappointment to the basketball fans. They have not as yet shown any of last year's form which had been so detrimental to McGill.

#### TWO-WAY FINLAY



PETE FINLAY, regular guard for the McGill Senior basketball squad who has been turning in such excellent performances at his position this year.

### Badminton Tilts Set for Monday

#### Interclass Tournament To Decide Champions And Faculty Standings

Plans have been laid to play off a club badminton tournament to determine the club champions and also permit individuals to win points for their own faculties. Play will commence next Monday in the gymnasium.

For the present, men's singles and doubles contests only are planned. Manager Robinson has posted lists in the gymnasium to be signed by all interested players. He points out that all entrants should indicate their faculty and year and doubles teams should be listed as such.

One point will be awarded for every game played by a contestant, win or lose. Players reaching the closing rounds will receive point bonuses and the champions will receive a substantial bonus. Faculty standings will be based on the point totals after the eliminations have been completed. Sets of the best two out of three games will be played throughout.

During the tournament, informal play will continue as usual for those not entered in the tournament.

A corresponding play off may be arranged for the Saturday night players if the demand warrants it. In addition, a consolation tournament may be run off for those eliminated in the first round.

### League Standings

| SENIOR INTERCOLLEGIATE STANDING |   |   |   |   |    |    |   |  |  |
|---------------------------------|---|---|---|---|----|----|---|--|--|
| Teams                           | G | W | L | T | F  | A  | P |  |  |
| McGill                          | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 9  | 6 |  |  |
| Toronto                         | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 6  | 4 |  |  |
| Montreal                        | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 28 | 32 | 2 |  |  |
| Queen's                         | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 5  | 30 | 0 |  |  |

| INTERMEDIATE INTERCOLLEGIATE STANDING |   |   |   |   |    |    |   |  |  |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|----|----|---|--|--|
| Teams                                 | G | W | L | T | F  | A  | P |  |  |
| Dawson                                | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 5  | 4 |  |  |
| McGill                                | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 7  | 3 |  |  |
| MacDonald                             | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4  | 4  | 1 |  |  |
| Loyola                                | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2  | 3  | 0 |  |  |
| Bishop's                              | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 6  | 18 | 0 |  |  |

| SENIOR INTERCOLLEGIATE STANDING |   |   |   |   |     |     |   |  |  |
|---------------------------------|---|---|---|---|-----|-----|---|--|--|
| Teams                           | G | W | L | T | F   | A   | P |  |  |
| Western                         | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 157 | 103 | 6 |  |  |
| Toronto                         | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 53  | 42  | 2 |  |  |
| McGill                          | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 29  | 40  | 0 |  |  |
| Queen's                         | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 138 | 161 | 0 |  |  |

| SENIOR M.B.L. STANDINGS |      |   |     |     |      |  |  |  |  |
|-------------------------|------|---|-----|-----|------|--|--|--|--|
| Won                     | Lost | F | A   | G   | Pts. |  |  |  |  |
| YMHA                    | 8    | 1 | 441 | 286 | 16   |  |  |  |  |
| McGill                  | 7    | 2 | 243 | 203 | 14   |  |  |  |  |
| S'Western Y             | 4    | 4 | 256 | 260 | 8    |  |  |  |  |
| Georgians               | 4    | 4 | 256 | 300 | 8    |  |  |  |  |
| Shipmates               | 3    | 6 | 285 | 326 | 6    |  |  |  |  |
| MacDonald               | 0    | 7 | 223 | 336 | 0    |  |  |  |  |

# McGILL PUCKSTERS TO FACE LACHINE

## Doug! Aspirin Soured, Parry's In After All Roy and Gladu Signed For Mexican Teams

Jack Parry, previous reports to the contrary, will in all probability line up with the Western Mustangs football team next fall. It was last stated that Parry would not be eligible to play because of a ruling to the effect that a student must have spent at least one year in college before lining up with the team. Since Western University has now decided to open summer courses for veterans, Parry will take advantage of this fact to put one year of college work behind him by next October.

Jack Parry was a former star halfback for Queens and his addition to the Mustangs will re-inforce the already powerful Western grid squad.

An announcement came through from Havana, Cuba last night stating that two members of the Montreal Royals baseball roster of the 1945 season, outfielder Roland Gladu and pitcher Jean Pierre Roy, had deserted organized ball in favor of an "outlaw" Mexican League. Both Gladu and Roy are at present playing with the Cienfuegos team in Cuba, which is leading all clubs participating in the Cuban professional championships. The tournament is slated to end this month.

Serious repercussions are expected to follow here in Montreal where the two stars were the greatest drawing cards presented by the squad.

## Intermediate Teams Active In Week's League Games

### Pucksters to Meet Dawson Today At St. Johns

McGill's Intermediate puck squad travels to St. Johns tonight to take on the undefeated Dawsonites. The game, originally scheduled for last week, marks the initial meeting of the squads.

The Dawson team, paced by Henry, Somers and Hayward beat an all-star St. Johns team 4-1 in their first start and took a close decision from Loyola last Saturday by a score of 3-2.

The Redmen have played two games so far. In the first they won an easy victory over Bishop's but were held to a 4-4 draw by Macdonald last Saturday.

Coach Johnny Costigan announced last night that Morrison will replace Dobell in the McGill nets in tonight's game. Two other newcomers are expected to play. They are Murray Hayes and Doug Eaton.

### Hoopsters Oppose Les Carabins In Final Tilt

Tonight Coach Ronnie Rutherford's Intermediate McGill cagers will round out a successful cage season when they play the University of Montreal Carabins in the Currie small gym at 9 p.m.

To date the Intermediates have won seven of their nine games thus putting them in top position as league leaders and a win tonight would possibly give them the pennant, provided the Dawson team doesn't go on a winning spree.

The Carabins are presently second in the league standing, and a win would bring them to within two points of the Redmen. In their last tilt together, McGill defeated the Blue and Gold aggregation 29 to 23.

Coach Rutherford will be depending on his high scorers, Murray, Davine, Beaupre and Allan to garner enough points to spot a victory for the local squad.

## Varsity Hoopsters Due Here For C.I.A.U. Tilt at Gym

When the senior McGill hoopsters take the floor at the Currie Gym this Friday evening at 8:30 p.m. against the Varsity squad they will be gunning for their first win of this season's Intercollegiate schedule. Sadly outclassed by the fiery Mustangs from London this past weekend by a 49-29 count, the Redmen will really be on their toes when they face the Blues in the hope that they can carry off the evening's honors.

Coach Roy Dillworth will be presenting stellar opposition in the smooth-playing Toronto aggregate that has piled up an enviable record in their pre-season tuneup in the Queen City local league. However the Blues came off second best in their tilt against Western and their contest with the Redmen should yield some very interesting results.

Loading the Varsity cagers into

town will be Bill Fountain, who represented Toronto at the National Y.M.C.A. basketball tournament in Jamestown, New York, in 1939. Along with Fountain, who can play any position on the floor, will be centre Colin Cranham, who was judged best freshman athlete in University College last year, and Lorne Clayton, veteran Varsity star, together with Don Gibson, Spike Hennessy and Syd Himmel. Rounding out the squad are Doug Spry, Murray Thomson, Gordie Wallace, Harry Mayzel, Tom Scott, and Wallie Zealon, one of the trickiest players in the game today who once scored 67 points in a 117-13 victory at Winnipeg.

Coach Lou Davies has been drilling his charges hard of late and when the time rolls around, Greenberg, Roth, Finlay, Hoyle, Davidson and company should put up a mighty fine show.

May—When my husband has a problem to solve he goes at it tooth and nail.  
Fay—You mean he does something about it right away?  
May—No, I mean the dope just sits and bites his nails.—Gateway.

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| INTERMEDIATE M.B.L. STANDINGS |   |      |    |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------|---|------|----|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| W                             | L | Pts. |    |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| McGill                        | 8 | 2    | 16 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dawson                        | 6 | 1    | 12 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| U. of M.                      | 6 | 4    | 12 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Georgians                     | 4 | 3    | 8  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| St. Willibrod                 | 4 | 6    | 8  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Loyola                        | 2 | 7    | 4  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| MacDonald                     | 0 | 7    | 0  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

| SENIOR M.B.L. SCORING STANDING |     |      |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|-----|------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Murray Waxman (YMHA)           | 104 | Pts. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tom Dazur (MacDonald)          | 75  | Pts. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ron Blackburn (Shipmates)      | 74  | Pts. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mel Purpas (YMHA)              | 72  | Pts. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mendy Morien (YMHA)            | 70  | Pts. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mag. Flynn (Georgians)         | 68  | Pts. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ted Daniels (S'Western)        | 65  | Pts. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ron Wilson (S'Western Y)       | 60  | Pts. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sam Roth (McGill)              | 64  | Pts. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

### Women's Cage Teams Score Double Triumph

The McGill Women's "A" basketball team defeated the Westmount High School "A" team by a 31-18 count at the Currie Gym yesterday afternoon. The Red "B" team came through as well with a 45-23 victory over the Westmount "B" squad. High scorers in the "A" game were Bobby Fenton for McGill and Harriet Brown for the West-enders. L. Macfarlane was top scorer for the victors in the "B" tussle while Ruth Fraas came through for the losers.

In reporting the results of the YWCA game in Tuesday's Daily it was erroneously stated that McGill won by a score of 32-1. This should have read 32-15.

First voice in a fog (hearing footsteps):  
"Can you tell me where I'm going?"

Second voice (wearily): "Into the river. I just came out."—Argosy.

Many of our young engineers are spending their time tinkering with misses in their motors.

## Local Collegiate Squad Ready for Exhibition Tilt On Rapides Home Ice

### Seniors to Attempt Extension Of Six Game Winning Streak

Coach Dave Campbell yesterday announced the hockey lineup for the first game of the Redmen's home and home series with Paul Haynes' Lachine Rapides.

The Rapides play hosts to the collegians tonight at the Lachine Arena and on Friday night the teams meet again at the Forum.

The coach will augment the regular Intercollegiate squad by the addition of a third forward line.

The game will mark the return of Danny Porteous to the squad. Danny has played three games so far but none of them have been on local ice.

**PORTEOUS BACK**  
The lines will be centred by Jimmy O'Connor, "Pop" Millar and Tommy Hale. They will be supported by left-wingers George Hale, Porteous and Spiller and right-wingers Pierson, Pittfield and Sinclair.

The Defence will remain the same. Gord Goselin and Cy Beigler will alternate with Doug Heron and Bob Broderick while both Gelineau and Currie may share goaling duties.

The high scoring Rapides are probably the toughest opposition on the Redmen's schedule to date.

## Recommendations Made by S.A.C.

### McGill Track Squad May Run In Hamilton In Invitation Tourney

Last night's regular monthly meeting of the Students' Athletics Council unanimously recommended that a five man McGill track team be sent down to Hamilton on March 20th for an Invitation Indoor track meet to be held in the Hill city on that date.

The recommendation must be reviewed by the Athletics Advisory Council and the Finance Committee before any action can be taken. In addition, the Council turned down a request from the Basketball manager that new sweatshirts similar to those used by the Western hoop squad be purchased for the local outfit.

The problem of track equipment was discussed as was Intramural hockey, while Major Forbes disclosed that the University of Montreal had consented to the use of their ski-tow by members of the McGill ski team and members of the MOC.

Routine matters discussed included the establishment of a committee to rewrite the Athletics section of the handbook and a committee to recommend awards. In addition, applications for permission to play outside athletics were granted.

## Sports Summary

**YESTERDAY'S SCORES**  
Interfaculty Hockey  
Science 6, Phys. Ed. 3.  
Interclass Basketball  
Arts & Ccl. II-IV 24, Eng. IIA 20.

**TODAY'S GAMES**  
MBL Senior  
9:00: Georgians vs. McGill.  
MBL Intermediate  
9:00: McGill vs. U. of M.  
Exhibition Hockey  
8:30: McGill vs. Lachine (PHL).  
Intermediate Hockey  
8:00: McGill vs. Dawson.  
Interfaculty Hockey  
5:00: Dent. vs. Comm.  
Interclass Hockey  
6:00: Comm. I vs. Grads.  
Interclass Volleyball  
5:15: Arts & Sci. III-IV vs. Eng. II; Arts & Sci. II vs. Eng. III.

**TOMORROW'S GAMES**  
Interfaculty Hockey  
5:00: Phys. Ed. vs. Eng.

**WEIGHTLIFTERS MEET**  
All weightlifters who intend to enter the intramural weightlifting competition must leave their entries with Manager Martin Franklin at 50 cents each.

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### Reach Quarter Finals In Squash Tourney

Two Med students, Don Farlinger and Guy MacFarlane fought hard battles against seeded opponents in the quarter final round of the McGill squash tournament. Farlinger produced the first upset of the tourney when he defeated third seeded Denis Stairs 3-0. MacFarlane was beaten 31- by second seeded Dave Culver.

The remaining quarter final matches will be played today at 5:30 when fourth seeded Andy LeMesurier takes on Gillespie and Al Nowers plays first seeded Pêc Landry.

"Oh-h-h-h Sandy, that popcorn smells grand."  
"Aye, it does lass; we'll go back and drive a wee bit closer."



U.N.R.R.A. Aids German Students

Military Co-operation Helps With Providing Food And Quarters

With the aid of UNRRA and the Army, displaced persons in Germany will now have a chance to resume their college courses. Directives have been issued by the Army, opening up schools and universities to these young would-be students.

Special quarters have been provided by the Military Government for the students, who will be fed and billeted there under the administration of UNRRA officers. In addition to supplying to some of their needs, the UNRRA personnel will act as advisors in the program.

The universities must draw 10 per cent. of their students from these displaced persons. About 260 of the medical students from the famous schools at Heidelberg, Marburg and Erlangen will be taken from this group.

Upon the completion of their education these students will be of invaluable aid to war-torn Europe, as doctors or in other professional capacities.

HOUSING—p. 1

on Cathcart street this Sunday.

Also discussed were the various sections of a brief on housing drawn up by the National Conference, for the benefit of representatives of the organizations who did not attend its Christmas meeting.

It was decided to establish a sub-committee for vocational training schools under the apprenticeship of Ken Perry of the Building Trades Apprenticeship.

Reports from the Action Committee outlining its activities were given by several members. These included plans under way to convene a meeting of federal M.P.s on the Island of Montreal which is being arranged through Postmaster General Bertrand.

FOX—p. 1

of industry, pointing out the basic and cumulative advantages of employing student and young graduate engineers, and the fundamental principle of maintaining his wages that the engineering profession may propagate itself unhindered.

As regards the E.I.C. annual meeting, Dr. P. Dunsheath, president of the British Institute of Electrical Engineers has been invited to visit Canada and to address the Canadian Institute. He will also speak to the McGill engineers on Thursday February 7, at 4 p.m. in the main Chemistry lecture room.

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decent, but the state Board of Regents won the passage of the uncut production. In Quebec, however, it is banned from all commercial theatres.

John Steinbeck, it will be remembered, has written several novels on a variety of subjects. "The Grapes of Wrath" is the story of the "Oaks," dispossessed from their parched prairie farms. "Tortilla Flat" is a story of Mexican life. These, like "The Forgotten Village," Friday's program at the Film Society, all deal with the struggle of men against invincible natural forces, poverty and ignorance.

Since aisles as well as over 300 seats were filled at the last film society presentation, the Executive advises those who plan to attend to come early, so that all may be seated when the movie starts.

AMENDMENTS—p 1

the members shall constitute a quorum.

No. 14 shall now be No. 13.

No. 15 shall now be No. 14.

ARTICLE II

Shall be amended to read

An association of undergraduates formed to exercise control of undergraduate activities, subject to the University Statutes and to the jurisdiction of the Senate and of the several Faculties.

ARTICLE III

Shall be amended to read

All undergraduate students of the MEMBERSHIP and all undergraduate students of the affiliated Theological Colleges are members of the Students' Society. Partial students are not considered eligible for membership in the Students' Society.

ARTICLE IV

FEES

Shall be amended to read

Each male member of the Students' Society shall be required to pay an annual fee of \$10.00, this sum to be collected by the Bursar; (for the students in the affiliated Theological Colleges these fees to be collected by the Registrar of the

Club News

**POLITICAL SCIENCE CLUB**  
There will be the usual Wednesday noon meeting in the Union Music Room today. Don Patterson will summarize his talk given last week on the subject of monopolies and cartels. He will then lead in a discussion to follow.

**NEWMAN CLUB**  
Subject: The annual retreat for Newmanites of McGill. Time: Thursday, February 7th, at 7.30 p.m. to Sunday, February 10th at 10.00 a.m. (Three morning services and three evening services.) Place: Sacred Heart Convent, (McGregor and Atwater Sts.) Speaker: Rev. Father Nicholas Higgins, F.M. Cap.

**McGILL DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB**

The following are the results for meeting held Jan. 30th, 1946.

**"A" GROUP N.S.**  
Watson, Seale, 72.2%  
Carling, Layton, 58.4  
Gilmour, Taylor, 54.2  
Hopton, Dohn, 34.7  
Becker, Francis, 30.6  
Ault, E. W. Woolley, 64.0%  
Bancroft, Glew, 58.4  
Wolfe, Wolman, 51.4

Buck, Mayer, 44.5.  
Thurber, Easterbrook, 32.0.  
**"B" GROUP N.S.**  
Morin, Eadie, 63.9%  
Harrison, Swoger, 55.6  
Davidson, Doherty, 50.0.  
Goldwater, Johnston, 30.5.  
E.W.

Henry, Ott, 61.1.  
Cosgrove, Decarie, 55.6.  
Wolfe, Marsh, 50.0.  
Levy, Winthrop, 33.3.  
From these results the groupings for this evening will be:

"A" Group—Watson-Seale, Ault, 6 Woolley, Carling-Layton-Bancroft-Glew, Gilmour-Taylor, Morin-Eadie, Henry-Ott, Cosgrove-Decarie, Harrison-Swoger, Wolfe-Wolman.

"B" Group—Buck-Mayer, Hopkin-Dohn, Davidson-Doherty, Wolfe-Marsh, Thurber-Easterbrook, Becker-Francis, Levy-Winthrop, Goldwater-Johnston.

**LIBERAL CLUB**  
There will be a meeting on Friday at 1 o'clock in the Union Music Room to discuss Canadian foreign policy. Also at this meeting there will be a general outline of the Club's organization.

FOR MEDS... and others  
... A CAMSI column for C.U.P.

LOCAL-OF-THE-MONTH...

The most heartening report to come in so far from our nine local correspondents is datelined London, Ontario, where the medical school at the University of Western Ontario recently acquired a brand-new CAMSI Committee; or at any rate, a new executive for that Committee. "Our present committee is composed of practically all 'recruits,'" writes P. R. O. Rodger Whitman, Med. III, "... who have had no previous experience with CAMSI..." Despite this, the Committee has gone ahead with plans for bringing in speakers, medical films, and has even proposed inviting each of the pre-med groups to send one representative, as a spectator or observer to each of the Committee's by-weekly meetings, so as to give pre-meds an early introduction to CAMSI (the Canadian Association of Medical Students and Internes). The Committee has been corresponding with the National Executive at McGill about a project which they are rather anxious to undertake, and should have found, by now, a satisfactory place in the national tie-up of med students and internes.

WINNIPEG...

A general meeting of the Med Undergrad Society was being planned on January 22, when Ted Stevenson wrote in from U. of Manitoba, where last November's Conference was held. Purpose of the meeting: To consider the National Exec's "Statement of Policy" for CAMSI. Payment of internes, speakers, films, and debates on medical subjects were all being taken up by the CAMSI Committee. Investigation into the possibilities of the University Book Store handling second-hand books

respective Theological Colleges), with the regular tuition fees, and divided as follows:  
Students' Executive Council ... \$4.00  
McGill Union ... 3.50  
McGill Daily ... 1.50  
Undergraduate Society ... 1.00

SECT. I B

Shall be amended to read  
B. Each female member of the Students' Society shall be required to pay an annual fee of \$9.00, this sum to be collected by the Bursar with the regular tuition fees and divided as follows  
McGill Daily ... \$1.50  
Students' Executive Council ... 4.00  
Women's Union ... 2.50  
Undergraduate Society Fee ... 1.00

ARTICLE V

OFFICERS

Shall be amended to read

The officer shall be a president, a Vice President, a Secretary-Treasurer and a Comptroller.

(a) DUTIES

Shall be amended to read

The President shall preside at all meetings of the Students' Society and shall be ex-officio Chairman of the Students' Society and shall be ex-officio Chairman of the Students' Executive Council, and a member of the Executive of all Regular Committees. He shall represent the students on all official occasions.

Shall be amended to read

The Secretary-Treasurer shall be custodian of all records, ledgers, receipts or documents of any nature whatsoever belonging to or dealing with the affairs of the Society. He shall be in charge of disbursements and shall receive and deposit all sums accruing to the Society, giving receipts for the same.

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is an additional interest, according to the Senior CAMSI representative.

QUEEN'S MEETS THE PRESS...

Soon after the above reports had come in, National President Bob Black (McGill '47) was invited to attend a Queen's M.U.S. meeting in order to answer questions concerning the "Statement of Policy" then being discussed. He was able to bring his audience of some 200 med students up to date on recent developments in CAMSI's progress since Christmas, and according to all accounts sparked up considerable interest. Queen's Med Undergraduate Society, known as the Aesculapian Society, did not send a delegate to the National Conference a couple of months ago, owing to difficulties with the travel-pool, but now that this has been straightened out, it looks like Queen's will again give CAMSI its old-time boost.

TORONTO...

Bob Salter, Senior CAMSI rep. at U. of T., was able to tell us some interesting facts about the way his Med Undergrad Society runs its business—it seems they do it pretty efficiently, too. What he calls the "Society" is really the Society's executive of 13 members, which has a luncheon meeting once a week. Business is performed speedily, it seems, as Bob was able to announce the M.U.S. appointment of Bob Andrews as Public Relations Officer for the CAMSI Committee, in accordance with the "Statement of Policy."

AND SO IT GOES...

Dalhousie and Queen's, too, have ratified the new CAMSI program and have pledged the one dollar per capita support to the National Exec. Those are the latest returns, of which more in next week's column. (H.A.R.—McGILL).

Shall be amended to read

The President shall be elected annually between the 1st day of March and the 15th day of March, by a ballot of all the members of the Society. He shall be nominated by any one hundred members. Such nominations shall be presented in writing to the Secretary at least ten days before the date of the election and published in the "McGill Daily" at least one week before the date of election.

Shall be amended to read

The President shall take office at the beginning of the fiscal year, July 1st. In the event of resignation, the Students' Executive Council shall decide on a date for the election of a successor, the procedure of election being similar to that used in the case of the regular election. The successor so appointed shall hold office until the end of the fiscal year.

Shall be amended to read

The Secretary-Treasurer shall be chosen by the Students' Executive Council to hold office for the fiscal year, the continuation of the agreement depending on ratification by each successive Council. He need not be a member of the Society and may be paid a salary.

Shall be amended to read

(14) The following shall be the order of business—  
(a) Roll Call  
(b) Reading Minutes  
(c) Business arising out of Minutes  
(d) Communications  
(e) Reports from Committees  
(f) New Business

ARTICLE VII

Shall be amended to read

(1) Regular. All Undergraduate Societies, and the Women's Union

CAUCs Establish Memorial Fund

Attempt to Contact Graduates Overseas Is Made By Bulletin

Plans for an Army Course Association of the former members of McGill's Army Course are now taking shape. The Association now counts 75 members in the Montreal District with an equal number, many still overseas, contacted through the mails by Secretary Ken Haring.

At the initial meeting on December 14 the Association decided to establish a memorial fund. A committee headed by Major J. C. Hope, former Officer Commanding, and Dr. D. A. Keys, former Education Director of this wartime course, will present their plans to a general business meeting to be held on Wednesday, February 6, at 7.30 p.m. in the Union Grill Room.

News of the Association is to be sent overseas in the form of a bulletin being assembled at present by Rex Lucas. Through this medium it is hoped that by next fall there will be a sufficient number of the "alumni army" returned who will be interested in holding regular meetings of a constructive and social nature.

The first social event of the Association is to be a dance in the COTC Mess on Saturday evening, February 9.

SKI NOTICE

Zone cross country ski championships will definitely be held this coming Sunday at St. Adele and entries must be made at the Athletics office before tomorrow night.

of McGill University, shall be constituted Regular Committees of the Students' Society.

(2) Special. Other organizations whose funds are under the control of the Students' Executive Council shall be Special Committees of the Students' Society.

(3) Standing. Any other organizations which are directly under the control of the Students' Executive Council and whose Constitution has been approved by the Students' Executive Council and whose Constitution provides for continuity of office shall be standing committees of the Society.

(4) Advisory Athletics Board. The Students' Society shall have three male representatives on this Board.

(a) President of the Student's Society, or in the event of the President being a woman member of the Society, a male member of the Students' Executive Council nominated by her or elected by the other members of the Council.  
(b) The Chairman of the Students' Athletics Council.

(c) One Member-at-large, elected by the male members of the Society by ballot to hold office for one year.

Nominations for this representative shall be signed by at least fifty members, shall be presented in writing and shall be in the hands of the Secretary-Treasurer at least ten days before the date of election and published by him in the McGill Daily at least one week before the date of election. He shall take office at the beginning of the fiscal year. Elections shall be held during the month of March.

(5) The Students' Social Functions. The members of the Council shall constitute a Committee on Students' Social Functions. All Undergraduate bodies desiring to hold any entertainment, or other social functions, must make application to the Committee, which may reject the same or forward it and its recommendations to the Principal.

ARTICLE VIII

Shall be amended to read

(1) Meetings may be called on three days' notice by the President. Special meetings shall be called on the written request of fifteen hundred (1,500) members of the Students' Society by the President on three days' notice in the McGill Daily.

(2) At each of the above meetings, five hundred members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE IX

Shall be amended to read

(1) Reading of Minutes  
(2) Business arising out of Minutes  
(3) Communications  
(4) Business of Executive  
(5) Reports of Committees  
(6) New Business  
(7) Notice of Motions

ARTICLE X

Shall be amended to read

This Constitution may be amended by two-thirds vote at a General Meeting of the Society provided two weeks' notice is given and published in the "McGill Daily." Sub-amendments shall be carried by a two-thirds majority of those present at any General Meeting of the Society, provided one week's notice is given and published in the "McGill Daily."

Sub-Amendments p. 1

Moved by Mr. Richter, seconded by Miss Cayford:

ARTICLE VIII

MEETINGS

Which now reads

1. Meetings may be called on three days' notice by the President or on the request of twenty-five members of the Students' Society.

Shall be amended to read

1. Meetings may be called on three days' notice by the President. Special meetings shall be called on the written request of fifteen hundred (1,500) members of the Students' Society by the President on three days' notice in the McGill Daily. Motions to be presented at these Special Meetings shall be recorded by the President in the McGill Daily at the time such notice of the Special Meetings is published.

ARTICLE X

AMENDMENTS

Add Paragraph 3:

These amendments will not become effective until approved by the University.

Amend to the Constitution

ARTICLE 8

TO READ:

The Student Executive Council shall hold an open meeting three times (3) during each year at which reports will be presented by the various members of the Council concerning the activities of the Student's Council during the period since the last open meeting.

The members shall answer all questions put to them by any member of the Student Society concerning Council business.

The arrangements for the holding of those meetings will be left to the discretion of the Student Executive Council. But they must take place at a time convenient to a majority of the Student's Society.

An Announcement of the meeting shall be given at least a week in advance of said meeting in the Daily.

Moved by: Nat Wolff

Seconded by: Daniel Paltiel Jan. 28, 1946.

The following sub-amendments were passed by the Executive of the Labour-Progressive Party Club:

Article V, Section 4, Duties

Shall be amended to read:

The President shall preside at all meetings of the Students' Society and shall be ex-officio Chairman of the Students' Society and shall be ex-officio Chairman of the Students' Executive Council and a member of the Executive of all Regular Committees. He shall represent the students on all official occasions.

Shall be sub-amended to read:

The President shall preside at all meetings of the Student Society and shall be ex-officio Chairman of the Student Society and shall be ex-officio Chairman of the Student Executive Council and a member of the Executive of all Regular Committees. Unless otherwise specified, he shall represent the students on all official occasions.

Shall be amended to read:

(e) One representative from each of the undergraduate Faculties, one representative from the School of Commerce. One representative from the Theological Colleges, affiliated with McGill University, and one representative from Royal Victoria College. These representatives shall be elected by the students of such Faculty from the Junior Class thereof between November 20th and December 10th of each year. In Faculties of over fifty members nominations shall be signed by 25 students of such Faculty, and in those of less than fifty members nominations shall be signed by ten members of such Faculty. Nominations must be in the hands of the Secretary of the Students' Society at least ten days before the date of the election and published by him in the McGill Daily at least once week before the date of election. Voting shall be by ballot on date of the election. Schools other than that of Commerce shall for the purposes of this Constitution be considered to be in those Faculties in which they are placed by Senate. Women shall vote in their respective Faculties, including Arts and Science, and the Royal Victoria College representative shall be elected by all the women of the Royal Victoria College.

Shall be sub-amended to read:

(e) One representative from each of the undergraduate Faculties except the Faculties of Arts and Science and Engineering, each of which shall have two representatives, one representative from the School of Commerce, one representative from the Theological Colleges affiliated with McGill University, and one representative from Royal Victoria College. These representatives shall be elected by the students of such Faculty from the Junior Class thereof between November 20th and December 10th of each year. Nominations shall be signed by at least ten members of such Faculties, and must be in the hands of the Secretary of the Student Society at least ten days before the date of the election and published by him in the McGill Daily at least one week before the

date of election. Voting shall be by secret ballot on date of election. Schools other than that of Commerce shall for the purposes of this Constitution be considered to be in those Faculties in which they are placed by the Senate. Women will vote in their respective Faculties, including Arts and Science. The Royal Victoria College representative shall be elected by all the women registered in Royal Victoria College.

ARTICLE VI. SECTION 5

Shall be amended to read:

It shall be the duty of the Students' Executive Council to summon, hear and discipline any member of the Student Society for a misdemeanor. Any person so summoned shall be confronted by those bearing witness against him. All decisions in such cases shall be referred to the Senate.

Shall be sub-amended to read:

It shall be the duty of the Students' Executive Council to summon, hear and discipline any member of the Students' Society for a misdemeanor. Any person so summoned shall be confronted by those bearing witness against him, and shall have the right to summon any other person or persons to act as witnesses on his behalf. All such hearings shall be open to the student body and shall receive three days advance notice in the McGill Daily. All decisions in such cases shall be referred to the Senate.

Article VI. Section (13)

Shall be amended to read:

(12) Meetings shall be on such days and at such hours as the Council shall deem fit. The Secretary shall give the members individual notice at least forty-eight hours before each meeting. Two-thirds of the members shall constitute a quorum.

Shall be sub-amended to read:

(12) Meetings shall be on such days and such hours as the Council shall deem fit. The Secretary shall give the members individual notice at least forty-eight hours before each meeting and a general notice shall be inserted in the McGill Daily. Two-thirds of the members shall constitute a quorum. All such meetings shall be open to student observers.

Article VIII Section (1)

Shall be amended to read:

(1) Meetings may be called on three days' notice by the President. Special meetings shall be called on the written request of fifteen hundred (1,500) members of the Students' Society by the President on three days' notice in the McGill Daily.

Shall be sub-amended to read:

(1) Meetings may be called on three days' notice by the President. Special meetings shall be called on the written request of fifty (50) members of the Students' Society by the President on three days' notice in the McGill Daily.

Shall be amended to read:

(2) At each of the above meetings, five hundred members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Shall be sub-amended to read:

(2) At each of the above meetings, two hundred (200) members shall constitute a quorum.

The above sub-amendments are hereby submitted to the Students' Executive Council to be presented at the forthcoming Students' Society meeting. They will be moved by Mr. W. Ornstein and seconded by Miss Anita Schecter.

Yours very truly,  
(Sgd.) WILLIAM ORNSTEIN  
Section Eight: Section One  
The amendment to which is now considered to be a unit, shall be divided into two parts, section A to begin at "Meetings may be called" and to end at "of the President" and section B to begin at "Special meetings" and to end at "McGill Daily" before it is revised. These two sections are to be voted on separately.

At the end of section A shall be added the following:

"The Student Executive Council shall hold an open meeting, on which there shall be no quorum restriction, three (3) times during each year at which reports will be presented by the various members of the Council, concerning the activities of the Council during the period since the last open meeting."

"The members shall answer all questions put to them by any member of the Student Society concerning Council business."

"The arrangements of holding these meetings shall be left to the discretion of the Student Executive Council, but they shall take place at a time convenient to a majority of the Students' Society. An announcement of the meeting shall be given at least a week in advance of said meeting in the Daily."

This amendment supersedes the one published yesterday in the Daily, and that amendment is hereby withdrawn.

Moved: Nat Wolfe.

Seconded: Daniel Paltiel.

January 30, 1946.

The following sub-amendments were proposed by the executive of Engineering Undergraduate Society. These proposals are put forth by the executive and are not representative of the Engineering undergraduates. The sub-amendments were proposed by Charles Fox and seconded by Phillip Laporta.

Article V, section (b) Elections

Shall be sub-amended to read

The Secretary-Treasurer shall be chosen by the Students' Executive Council to hold office for the fiscal year, the continuation of the agreement depending on ratification by each successive Council. He need not be a member of the Society and shall be paid a salary.

Article VI. Section 13—shall be amended to read

(12) Meetings, open to student spectators, shall be on such days and at such hours as the Council shall deem fit. The Secretary shall give the members individual notice at least forty-eight hours before each meeting. Two-thirds of the members shall constitute a quorum.

Article VIII. Section 1—shall be sub-amended to read

(1) Meetings may be called on three days' notice by the President. Special meetings shall be called on the written request of two hundred and fifty (250) members of the Students' Society by the President on three days' notice in the "McGill Daily." Article VIII Section 2—shall be sub-amended to read: At each of the above meetings, two hundred and fifty (250) members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Lost

Black Waterman's fountain pen. Name on it G. E. McCoy. Finder please leave in Tuck Shop or Daily Office.

**SPECIAL NOTICE**  
Women students are reminded that the magazines and periodicals in the Common Room in R.V.C. are provided by the Women's Union for use in the Common Room only. They must not be taken out of Common Room.  
The Executive Women's Union

Lost  
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**Thursday, February 7th**

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To discuss amendments and sub-amendments to the Society Constitution